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GLEICHEN, ALTA., WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26, 1922

A Grim Comparison.

The following article was written by F. A. Alder, president of the Gardfield Park Savings Bank of Chicago, and appeared in the Financial Post:

A community is measured by the activity of its business men. A community that never has anything to do in a public way, is on the road to the cemetery. Any citizen who will do nothing for his community is helping to dig its grave. A man that "cusses" the town, furnishes the coffin, the man who is so selfish as to have no time from his business to give affairs his attention is making the shroud. The man who will not advertise, in some form or other, is driving the hearse. The man who is always "pulling back" from any public enterprise throws bouquets on the grave. The man who is so "stingy" as to ho "hard times" preaches the funeral oration and sings the doxology, and thus the community lies buried from all sorrow and care. Don't be one of the mourners. Be a brother and advertiser! I firmly believe that advertising will be one of the most vital factors in returning prosperity, which I have reason to expect will occur during the present year. Advertising is the very spirit of our age.

A good many people would say more if they didn't talk so much.

They have taken the agricultural school away from Gleichen and are trying to take the air patrol away from High River, but they can't take the dam from Bassano. Remarks the Basano mail. How would you like Bassano to have along with the dam the Purcell Cup?

Grasshopper Menace

BY FRANK L. SKELDON

Do you realize what this means? How many persons in Alberta have ever been through a real serious locust plague?

I doubt very much if there are one hundred people in this vast province of ours, who have any idea of what might happen this year in the southern portion of Alberta.

There are probably a few of our American settlers who formerly belonged to Kansas, or some other state of the Union; who can visualize the tremendous swarms of locust which cleaned them out many years; but I do not think there is anyone else outside of these few.

Now this article is not meant to alarm any individual; it is simply a warning; outside of a few people who know what the real facts are of what happened in the past of the population in Kansas. Fortunately the Greenfield Government has come to life, and at last sitting of the legislature, they passed an act, entitled "An Act for the extermination of Agricultural Pests" and voted \$70,000.00 to fight it this year.

Now, mark you, this menace has been constantly on the increase since 1915, the first dry year after the locusts left the banks of rivers and small streams, because of the dry spell. They migrated to the growing fields of grain which provided them with an abundance of soft, succulent feed, and as they were not very numerous, very little damage ensued, but, they stayed there; and finding the hard soil along the roadsides and fence lines for their liking for breeding grounds, they were deposited their eggs, which were fully hatched in 1919 another dry year; and they laid their eggs in the summer of that year, all over southern Alberta.

1920 was the first bad year in a few localities; but outside of one or two municipalities, unfortunately, very little was done to check them.

Last year, practically the whole of southern Alberta from the international boundary as far north as Olds, and east to the Saskatchewan boundary, was infested with billions of locusts and the egg deposit was enormous.

Even as far back as the spring and summer of 1920, the writer was in the locality (roughly speaking) about a township in central Alberta, so thick that on a rock about a foot square there were over three hundred. It was a common sight to see six on a blade of wheat, and, they cleaned, absolutely, a field, sixty acres in extent, in less than two days.

My attention was drawn to another field of wheat, about one hundred acres in all, which was eaten bare for twenty rods into the field from the roadside where they had hatched out. Quick action with about 100 pounds of poison had swept the field from annihilation; in three days it was very hard to find one live locust in that field, which proved to my entire satisfaction that poisoning does the trick.

About eight tons of bait was distributed in that particular township, and the crops were saved from utter destruction, but the yield of wheat was cut down about ten bushels per acre on the average over this particular section of country.

As the summer advanced and the locust attained the flying stage, less damage was reported; but one farm in the same township, put in a few acres of winter rye in August; about two days later the field was a lovely green; two days later it was bare. The farmer stated it had died from obscure cause; it died alright—the locusts did the trick.

You see what happened was this—the grain fields were turning a nice golden color, they were no longer green; the locusts were flying, the only green patch in that township was that twelve acres of rye; and every flying locust that was left alive simply went over there to have a soft, succulent meal—that's all.

In late May and early June of this year, along the roadsides, fence lines, and in the pastures, billions of little black jumping locusts will come to life from the dry they are born until about 40 days later they will have and rest at night.

They eat continuously from about fifteen minutes after sunrise until sunset, which means roughly about fourteen hours per day they are out in your grain fields eating, eating, eating. Once a week they moult, and with each successive moulting their little wings get larger and larger, until after the fifth moulting they are ready to fly and breed.

After attaining the full wing stage they still eat, but they go further afield for it, poisoning is not as effective as when they are in moulting stage.

Starting on the edge of your field when they are two or three days old, when they quickly forward and soon the green tender shoots of grain begin to disappear, and the farmer wonders whether that grain he sowed first germinated properly or not. Don't wait at all if you see this happen. Invest your grain without delay. Walk along the edge of your field, examine the ground, and you will find little jumping locusts as you take your steps. Small little insects about the size of a pea, mostly black in color and looking at your grain you will find the hidden

of wheat eaten away, and the stocks cut off short with the ground; this is the early work of the pest. Report the matter promptly and we will see to it that you receive a supply of bait—AT ONCE, and distribute it along your fence line and the borders of your field where the damage is. Put it out some bright morning about sunrise, and in three days you will be reasonably safe.

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mediately with two Indians for Grand Portage where he obtained an appointment as astronomer for the North West Company whose headquarters were at that point.

Thompson then visited the company's various posts and while in the Lake-of-the-Woods region in Manitoba, located the source of the Mississippi River. Many years were later to elapse before the feat of travelling by dog team and canoe.

The winter of 1807-08 was spent at Kootenay House with his "little family" and in the spring of 1809 were termed. In October, 1810 he set out to trace the Columbia River from its source to its mouth and was accompanied by a white man to do this, arriving at Astoria on the Columbia in July, 1811. The trip was accomplished despite great perils. Thompson died at the age of 87, poor and penniless, in 1844. His estate was recognized its debts to this brave man and

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Universities to Follow the Railroad in Binding East and West Together For the Cause of National Unity

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of Canada should move east and west as though free traders. The C.P.R. for the next three years will be able to spend \$100 million to help the west become familiar with methods of life and thought in the east. The Canadian Pacific President of the Canadian Pacific Railway, in his letter to the University of Toronto, said:

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